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Get Ready, Engaged & Informed about Portland Harbor

US EPA Holds Information Sessions for Community Members

Get Ready: The Lower Willamette River is a valuable natural resource. However, Portland Harbor, a section of the River between the Broadway Bridge and Sauvie Island, has contaminants which are harmful to people, fish and wildlife. EPA is taking action to make it a cleaner, healthier place to live, work and play. A Proposed Plan that will be released this spring will outline EPA's recommended path for achieving those goals! You will have an opportunity to review the plan and provide comments.

Get Engaged: It's not yet time for the plan **OR** public comment. But it is time to engage with EPA to learn more, ask questions and hear information about Portland Harbor before the plan is released.

Get Informed: Come to one of the upcoming Community Information sessions offered by EPA to learn more about Portland Harbor Superfund Site and the options we are considering for cleaning up the river. The Sessions will include:

- Portland Harbor background, health risks and why EPA is taking action
- Information about cleanup options
- Next steps for public participation/comment during the Proposed Plan release

DATE	LOCATION
Thursday, February 4 Open House: 11:30-12 noon Information & Discussion Session: 12noon-1:30 pm	Portland City Building Auditorium 1120 SW 5th Ave, Portland Portland Building, 2 nd Floor Auditorium
Thursday, February 11 Open House: 6:30-7pm Information & Discussion Session: 7pm- 8:30pm	Matt Dishman Community Center 77 NE Knott St, Portland
Thursday, February 18 Open House: 6-6:30 pm Information & Discussion Session: 6:30-8 pm	Woodrow Wilson High School Cafeteria 1151 SW Vermont St, Portland, OR
Thursday, March 3 Webinar – Live online information session	More information to follow Visit EPA website
Saturday, March 19 Open House: 12:30-1pm Information & Discussion Session: 1-2:30pm	Matt Dishman Community Center 77 NE Knott St, Portland
Thursday, March 17	SE Portland, Location and time TBD
Saturday, March 26	Central Portland, Location and time TBD

To learn more or receive updated notifications, visit: <http://go.usa.gov/3Wf2B> or contact Alanna Conley at 503-326-6831. In addition, you are invited to attend the following forums which are free and open to the public:

- **Tuesday, Jan 26** 7 pm, Portland Harbor CAG Forum, St. Johns Community Center
- **Monday, Feb 8** 7 pm, Audubon Society, 5151 NW Cornell Rd, Portland
- **Tuesday, Feb 9** 7 pm, League of Women Voters, Multnomah County Building, 501 SE Hawthorne Blvd.
- **Tuesday, Feb 23** 7 pm, Portland Harbor CAG Forum, Linnton Community Center, 10614 NW St. Helens Rd



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